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It is respectfully requested that the period for submitting a response to the Office Action dated June 13, 2006 be extended by one month, i.e. from September 13, 2006 to October 13, 2006.

The Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge the \$120.00 statutory extension fee for response within the first month by other than a small entity pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any additional required fees, and credit any overpayment during prosecution of this application, to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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